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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: J. Daniel Raulerson et al :  
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For: Catheter Sheath Pinch Clamp :   
: Attorney Docket No: MED-0010  
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Commissioner for Patents

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated March 26, 2007. Please amend the application as follows: